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A significant amount of information is stored in computer systems today, but people are struggling to manage their documents such that the information is easily found. XML is a de-facto standard for content publishing and data exchange. The proliferation of XML documents has created new challenges and opportunities for managing document collections. Existing technologies for automatically organizing document collections are either imprecise or based on only simple criteria. Since XML documents a ...



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Most current sensor network research explores the use of extremely simple sensors on small devices called motes and focuses on over-coming the resource constraints of these devices. In contrast, our research explores the challenges of multimedia sensors and is motivated by the fact that multimedia devices, such as cameras, are rapidly becoming inexpensive, yet their use in a sensor network presents a number of unique challenges.

For example, the data rates involved with multimedia sensors are or ...

**Keywords:** multimedia sensors, sensor networks, wide-area sensing infrastructure

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 Alberto O. Mendelzon, Ken Q. Pu

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We study the problem of economical representation of subsets of structured sets, that is, sets equipped with a set cover. Given a structured set  $U$ , and a language  $L$  whose expressions define subsets of  $U$ , the problem of Minimum Description Length in  $L$  ( $L$ -MDL) is: "given a subset  $V$  of  $U$ , find a shortest string in  $L$  that defines  $V$ ". We show that the simple set cover is enough to model a number of realistic database structures. We focus on ...

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 Ludovic Denoyer, Patrick Gallinari

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Online Analytical Processing (OLAP) has been a valuable tool for analyzing trends in business information. While the multi-dimensional cube model used by OLAP is ideal for analyzing structured business data, it is not suitable for representing and analyzing complex semi-structured data, such as, XML documents. Need for analyzing XML documents is gaining urgency as XML has become the language of choice for data representation across a wide range of application domains. This paper describes a prop ...

7 Web-enabled simulation technologies: web-enabled tools, languages, and applications: XML-based supply chain simulation modeling

Dean C. Chatfield, Terry P. Harrison, Jack C. Hayya

December 2004 **Proceedings of the 36th conference on Winter simulation WSC '04**

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We describe a different approach to using XML to support the simulation modeling of supply chains. Instead of using XML to specify the simulation constructs, as most previous approaches do, we utilize XML to describe the supply chain itself. The Supply Chain Modeling Language (SCML) is a general, reusable, platform and methodology independent standard for describing a supply chain's structure and logic. SCML is usable by analysts using many methodologies, including simulation. We describe a samp ...

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The rapid adoption of XML as the standard for data representation and exchange foreshadows a massive increase in the amounts of XML data collected, maintained, and queried over the Internet or in large corporate data-stores. Inevitably, this will result in the development of on-line decision support systems, where users and analysts interactively explore large XML data sets through a declarative query interface (e.g., XQuery or XSLT). Given the importance of remaining interactive, such on-line s ...

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 Karen Sauvagnat, Lobna Hlaoua, Mohand Boughanem

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The aim of this study is to evaluate the impact of context to better identify relevant elements in XML retrieval. Context is represented here by clues on whole document relevance. We represent context according to different points of view: by introducing document dimension while computing terms weights, by using document relevance when evaluating elements relevance or by ranking elements on document relevance. Experiments were undertaken on INEX collection, and results showed the interest of con ...

**Keywords:** XML retrieval, contextual relevance, relevance propagation

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 Antonio Chella, Massimo Cossentino, Roberto Pirrone, Andrea Ruisi

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On the basis of a multiple abstraction levels specification process, we developed a representational model for environmental robotic knowledge through the definition of a set of ontologies using a multi perspective approach. A general ontological model for typical indoor environments has been first developed, followed by its specialization using an implementation perspective. Actual software implementation of the ontology has been obtained via a XML-based markup language, used to build a reposit ...

**Keywords:** multi agent systems, ontologies, robotics

**11 Web-based simulation: SISCO: a supply chain simulation tool utilizing silk™ and XML**

Dean C. Chatfield, Terry P. Harrison, Jack C. Hayya

December 2001 **Proceedings of the 33rd conference on Winter simulation**

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We discuss SISCO, the Simulator for Integrated Supply Chain Operations, a Java-based tool that simplifies supply chain simulation model development. SISCO maps supply chain descriptions stored in the XML-based Supply Chain Modeling Language (SCML) format to a set of supply chain "building blocks" developed with ThreadTec's Silk™ simulation classes.

The resulting system combines the ease of a visual supply chain simulator, the power and flexibility of a full object-oriented programming lang ...

12 A powerful and SQL-compatible data model and query language for OLAP

Dennis Pedersen, Karsten Riis, Torben Bach Pedersen

January 2002 **Australian Computer Science Communications , Proceedings of the thirteenth Australasian database conference - Volume 5 ADC '02**, Volume 24 Issue 2

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In this paper we present the SQLM OLAP data model, formal algebra, and query language that, unlike current OLAP data models and languages, are both *powerful*, meaning that they support irregular dimension hierarchies, automatic aggregation of data, and correct aggregation of data, and *SQL-compatible*, allowing seamless integration with relational technology. We also consider the requirements to the data model posed by integration of OLAP data with external XML data. ...

**Keywords:** OLAP, data integration, data models, multidimensional databases, query languages

13 Research sessions: new styles of XML: Colorful XML: one hierarchy isn't enough

H. V. Jagadish, Laks V. S. Lakshmanan, Monica Scannapieco, Divesh Srivastava, Nuwee Wiwatwattana

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XML has a tree-structured data model, which is used to uniformly represent structured as well as semi-structured data, and also enable concise query specification in XQuery, via the use of its XPath (twig) patterns. This in turn can leverage the recently developed technology of structural join algorithms to evaluate the query efficiently. In this paper, we identify a fundamental tension in XML data modeling: (i) data represented as deep trees (which can make effective use of twig patterns) are o ...

14 Extending TPC-W to allow for fine grained workload specification

Christian Kurz, Carlos Guerrero, Günter Haring

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This paper presents a method to characterize workload from a web server logfile from a user perspective. The data obtained in this process is used to create workload for the TPC-W benchmark.

**Keywords:** benchmark, capacity planning, user modeling, web performance

15 An XML query engine for network-bound data

Zachary G. Ives, A. Y. Halevy, D. S. Weld

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XML has become the lingua franca for data exchange and integration across administrative and enterprise boundaries. Nearly all data providers are adding XML import

or export capabilities, and standard XML Schemas and DTDs are being promoted for all types of data sharing. The ubiquity of XML has removed one of the major obstacles to integrating data from widely disparate sources - namely, the heterogeneity of data formats. However, general-purpose integration of data across the wide are a also re ...

**Keywords:** Data integration, Data streams, Query processing, Web and databases, XML

16 Web services and performance evaluation: A fine-grained replacement strategy for 

 XML query cache

Li Chen, Song Wang, Elizabeth Cash, Burke Ryder, Ian Hobbs, Elke A. Rundensteiner  
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Caching popular queries and reusing results of previously computed queries is one important query optimization technique, especially in modern distributed environments such as the WWW. Based on the recent proliferation of XML data and the emergence of the XQuery language, we are thus developing a query- based caching system for XQuery queries, called ACE-XQ. ACE-XQ applies innovative query containment and rewriting strategies to answer incoming user queries based on the cached XQueries, whenever ...

**Keywords:** XML, XQuery, cache replacement strategy, query containment, query rewriting, semantic caching

17 Moving up the food chain: supporting e-commerce applications on databases 

 Anant Jhingran

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Database systems have enjoyed a tremendous market because they have served many applications really well -- transaction processing in the beginning, and then decision support. Today, with over 200% cumulative growth rate in certain segments of E-Commerce, it is clear that this new class of applications will be a strong driver for databases to grow, commercially, as well as from a Research perspective. This paper outlines some of the issues that I have learnt in dealing with E-Commerce applicatio ...

18 Free-link topology navigation on statistical table objects: metadata schema and user interface 

Xiangming Mu, Gary Marchionini

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A table object, defined and described in XML, is treated as the basic unit in a free-link topology that enables multiple inheritances for each node. In this paper, a novel table navigation system called TableHunter is introduced. Each table object is presented in the TableHunter as a node of a map structure, and supports a context+focus view.

19 Scaling up the semantic web: On labeling schemes for the semantic web 

 Vassilis Christophides, Dimitris Plexousakis, Michel Scholl, Sotirios Tourtounis

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This paper focuses on the optimization of the navigation through voluminous subsumption hierarchies of topics employed by Portal Catalogs like Netscape Open Directory (ODP). We advocate for the use of labeling schemes for modeling these hierarchies in order to efficiently answer queries such as subsumption check, descendants, ancestors or nearest common ancestor, which usually require costly transitive closure computations. We first give a qualitative comparison of three main families of schemes ...

- 20 Fast algorithm for creating space efficient dispatching tables with application to multi-dispatching 

Yoav Zibin, Joseph Yossi Gil

November 2002 **ACM SIGPLAN Notices , Proceedings of the 17th ACM SIGPLAN conference on Object-oriented programming, systems, languages, and applications OOPSLA '02**, Volume 37 Issue 11

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The dispatching problem can be solved very efficiently in the single-inheritance~(SI) setting. In this paper we show how to extend one such solution to the multiple-inheritance~(MI) setting. This generalization comes with an increase to the space requirement by a small factor of  $\kappa$ . This factor can be thought of as a metric of the complexity of the topology of the inheritance hierarchy. On a data set of~35 hierarchies totaling some~64 thousand types, our dispatching data structure, based on a ...

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